## **SENATE BILL 226**

By Ketron

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 55, Chapter 4, relative to special license plates for retired firefighters.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 55, Chapter 4, Part 2, is amended by deleting §55-4-241 in its entirety and by substituting instead the following language:

Section 55-4-241. An owner or lessee of a motor vehicle who is a resident of this state and who is a member of a volunteer fire department or full-time firefighting unit, or another bona fide firefighter, including a paid, paid-on-call, or volunteer firefighter, or a bona fide retired firefighter, shall be issued a special "firefighter" registration plate, as provided for in this part, upon proof of current membership in a firefighting unit, or upon proof of former membership in a firefighting unit from which such owner or lessee is a retired member in good standing, and upon compliance with state motor vehicle registration and licensing laws and payment of the applicable registration fee under §55-4-111.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring

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